

The hammer of construction  
drowns out the hammer of the  
knocker.

# THE BRISTOL COURIER

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Fair tonight and Wednesday.  
Warmer tomorrow. Moderate  
northwest and north winds.

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## 3 BOYS PLEAD GUILTY; REFUTE ALIBI GIVEN THEM BY MOTHER; TWO GO TO JAIL TO AWAIT TRIAL

Mother Claims Boys Were at Home at Time Alleged Robbery  
Was Committed — They in Turn Admit Theft and Say  
Mother Knew of It — One Out on \$500 Bail

Three young boys pleaded guilty to robberies which occurred at a bungalow colony along the Neshaminy Creek at Newportville, Bensalem Township, last Friday night.

The lads who are incriminated are: Alfred Barnhart, 15, and his brother, Francis, 17; and Samuel Wilson, aged 13, all of Newportville.

The robberies took place last Friday night, 23 bungalows in that locality being ransacked. Although very little was taken from the various premises, it is estimated that the damage done approximated \$1,000.

Officer H. Lincoln Hughes, of Bensalem Township, was called to investigate the case on Saturday, and with Officer Thomas Crawford visited each of the houses entered. For three days the investigation was carried on, and yesterday the Barnhart brothers and the Wilson boy were taken into custody, charged with the offense.

The boys were taken to the several bungalows, and many questions put to each. Finally they admitted entering 12 of the 23 houses where the furniture had been thrust about, and in some cases broken; and damage done to the bedclothing and dishes.

Later in the evening the boys were taken to Croydon by Officers Hughes and Crawford and given a severe grilling before Squire John Walmsley. Here one of the Barnhart boys admitted taking the sum of 40c from one of the summer residences, which he stated he took home, later telling his father what they had done. He likewise mentioned that his mother made no comment on the affair.

It was stated by Officer Hughes, however, that Mrs. Barnhart tried to shield her sons last evening, by saying they had not left their home on Friday night last. The lads refuted her statement, telling she knew where they had been.

Upon payment of \$500 bail by Edward Mitch, of Hulmeville, uncle of the Wilson boy, the young man was freed for a further hearing. Bail not being furnished for the Barnhart boys they were taken to Doylestown, where they now await trial. It is stated by Officer Hughes that after conferring with the District Attorney, it was thought possible that Judge Ryan may conduct the trial in the case tomorrow, inasmuch as the three have admitted committing the deed.

Some of the properties entered and owned by: James Handriaty, 2031 Stella avenue; John Mulhearn, 3548 Jasper street; William Sytes, 1510 Womrat street; Harry Fittler, 3205 N. Howard street; Edward Miller, 537 E. Allegheny avenue; and James Bader, 3214 Emerald street; all of the above addresses being in Philadelphia.

## CHOIR SINGER TAKES STRYCHNINE; DIES SOON

Newtown Woman Ends Her  
Life at Home of Her  
Mother

## THOUGHT DESPONDENT

NEWTOWN, March 15.—"Mother, I might as well tell you the truth; I've taken strychnine, send for the doctor."

That was the way Anna Rosa Kroger, 26, a stenographer employed in the Philadelphia office of the Women's Pennsylvania Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, Sunday evening informed her mother at her Newtown home that she was weary of living and wanted to die.

Domestic troubles at home, and her desire to move to Philadelphia with her mother, are said to have caused Miss Kroger, a native of this borough, to end her life. She died a short time after she drank the strychnine that was placed by her in a cup of coffee taken during the evening meal at her home.

Miss Kroger was a daily commuter to Philadelphia. She had complained about the daily trip and at times told friends that she did not have much to live for. Her father, John Kroger, died about a month ago at her home. She is survived by her mother, Mrs. Caroline Kroger, and a brother, Yergan Kroger, who is employed at Fox Chase.

Sunday morning Miss Kroger attended Newtown Episcopal Church, and sang in the choir. The balance of the day she spent at home. She had dinner at noon with her mother and brother and was in good spirits. Shortly before 5:30 Sunday evening she told her mother that she did not care for supper, but would like to have two cups of hot coffee. The coffee was prepared and a short time later the girl complained to her mother that she felt ill. When she became violently ill, Miss Kroger told her mother what she had done.

Dr. John J. Sweeney, of Doylestown, corner of Bucks county, Monday morning issued a certificate of death due to suicide from strychnine poisoning.

## LATE NEWS

PARIS, March 15 (I.N.S.)—The Cabinet, meeting today under the chairmanship of President Doumergue, decided to send a French observer to the proposed tri-partite naval disarmament conference between the United States, Great Britain and Japan.

FEDERAL BUILDING, DETROIT, March 15 (I.N.S.)—With justice smiling upon him for the second time in as many days, Henry Ford won another round today in the \$1,000,000 libel suit brought against him by Aaron Sapiro, Chicago attorney. The point was won when Federal Judge Fred S. Raymond overruled a motion by attorneys for Sapiro to eliminate Ford's "plea of justification" on the ground it violated an earlier court order.

## AIRPLANE BEING BUILT TO TAKE TO HOP OVER OCEAN

Commander Davis to Make  
Attempt to Capture The  
\$25,000 Prize Stake

## FINANCED BY LEGION

According to news dispatches the airplane which Commander Noel Davis is to use in his attempted triple air race across the Atlantic for the Raymond Orteig prize of \$25,000 is being built here in Bristol. The plane is now under construction at the plant of the Keystone Aircraft Company.

Commander Davis, a member of the United States Naval Reserve Air Service and a noted pilot, announced yesterday that he planned to take off from Mitchell Field, Long Island, in June in an all-American expedition and hoped to make the 3,600-mile flight in less than 42 hours.

Plans for two other New York to Paris flights have already been announced for this summer. Commander Richard E. Byrd, who flew around the North Pole last spring, has announced that a Fokker plane is being built for him by Rodman Wanamaker, while Captain Rene Fonck, French war ace, whose attempt last year ended in the death of two members of the expedition in a crash of the plane at its attempted take off, also is having another plane built by Igor Sikorsky.

Commander Davis, who will have charge of all navigation of his plane, said his primary object in attempting the flight is to capture the honor for America. One companion will accompany him.

Commander Davis' plane will be named the American Legion, which organization effects to finance the greater part of the project through sale of souvenir postcards at \$2 each which will be carried on the plane and mailed from Paris.

The plane will have three 240-horse-power motors of the nine cylinder radial type and will carry 1,500 gallons of gasoline. With this load it will weigh 16,000 pounds at the start and about 7,000 pounds when it reaches Paris.

The decision may be filed today or tomorrow at White Plains, N. Y., or at Carmel, N. Y.

NEW YORK, March 15 (I.N.S.)—The New York American in a copyrighted article today stated that Edward W. "Daddy" Browning has won the separation suit he brought against his wife, the former "Peaches" Heenan.

"Peaches" has lost her counter suit against "Daddy," and with it any chance of getting alimony, according to the American.

In denying "Peaches" a separation, it is understood, the newspaper said, that Justice A. H. Seeger found her charges of alleged cruelty trivial and in some instances found it difficult to credit her testimony.

"This opinion of Judge Seeger will be filed, unless last minute changes are made in his plans, with a county clerk today," said the American.

"Elaborate precautions to prevent any leaks in the decision did not succeed in keeping the American from obtaining authoritative advance information of its contents."

LADIES' AID TO HOLD SALE

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Bristol M. E. Church will hold a sale of bread, pies, cakes, and all good things to eat, on Saturday, March 26th, commencing at 11 a. m. The sale will be held in the store of C. W. Winter, Mill and Wood streets.

MINSTREL SHOW TONIGHT

Everything is in readiness for the minstrel entertainment to be held in the Tullytown M. E. Church this evening. All local talent will take part in the entertainment and from all accounts a good program has been prepared. The affair is given under auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society of the church.

EDGELY

Mrs. M. Hobbs, of Riverview avenue, is spending several days at the home of her son-in-law, Mr. Howard Johnson, of Cleveland street, Bristol. Mrs. Johnson is confined in the Harriman Hospital, where she underwent an operation.

Phone your classified 156 advertisements

## NEW INDUSTRY SOON TO START AT DOYLESTOWN

Derk Manufacturing Co. Is  
About Ready to Start  
Operations

## WAS AT FRANKFORD

(Special to Courier)  
DOYLESTOWN, Mar. 15.—Within 60 days the general offices and entire plant of the Derk Manufacturing Company, makers of decorative upholstery fabrics including draperies, yard goods and specialties will be in operation in this borough.

The removal of the Frankford plant to this borough where it has been combined in a modern new factory building recently completed, with the plant that has been located here for several years, has added another valuable industry to Bucks county.

The Derk plant manufactures goods annually that have a retail value of approximately \$3,000,000. Back in 1925 the company's business amounted to approximately \$1,000,000 annually.

Goods manufactured at the local plant, now the largest in Doylestown, are sold to all the leading retail houses and jobbers in the United States.

With the completion of the new factory that adjoins the old plant at the foot of Hamilton street, one of the most modern plants in the East has been added to this borough's industries. The company owns two acres of land and the plant, including the new factory building has 40,000 square feet of floor space. The annual output of the company will be doubled with the operation of the entire plant here in sixty days.

Machinery is being moved into the new factory at the present time. Yesterday a number of winding machines were in operation in the new section.

Over 2000 yards of fine decorative upholstery fabrics will be manufactured daily when the entire plant is in operation.

Seventy-six looms will be in operation within sixty days. The Doylestown plant was started with twenty looms and there were fifty-two in operation yesterday.

Over 200 persons will be employed

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## What Our Legislators Are Doing

The Hon. Clarence J. Buckman, Member of State Senate from this district, has introduced the following bill which is herewith given as reported from committee on Public Roads and Highways in Senate, February 14, 1927.

Bill reads:

Authorizing district attorneys in counties of the (fifth) sixth seventh and eighth classes with the approval of the president judge to appoint (and fix the salary of) a detective providing for the fixing of a salary and providing for the payment of the salary of such detective by the county.

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That in all counties of the (fifth) sixth seventh and eighth classes the district attorney shall have power to appoint with the approval of the president judge of the court of (quarter sessions) common pleas of such county one county detective at an annual salary not to exceed two thousand five hundred dollars (\$2,500) to be fixed by the salary board in counties where there is a salary board and in other counties by the district attorney with the approval of the president judge of said court. Such detective shall also receive his actual and necessary expenses incurred in the performance of his duties. The salary and expenses of such detective shall be paid out of the county treasury in the usual manner.

Section 2 The county detective herein provided for shall hold his position during the term of the district attorney appointing him and shall be removable at his pleasure. He shall have possess and exercise all the rights and

powers conferred by existing laws upon constables so far as such laws relate to crimes and criminal procedure and shall when requested by the district attorney make an investigation and endeavor to obtain such evidence as may be required in any criminal case. He shall also perform such other duties as the district attorney may direct. Provided however that nothing herein contained shall prevent the employment of one or more detectives for special purposes as now provided by law.

Section 3 All acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act are hereby repealed.

Senator Buckman also introduced following bill which was referred to committee on Public Roads and Highways, February 7, 1927:

Establishing as a State highway a certain section of public road in the county of Bucks.

Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same That a certain section of public road known as the Street road beginning at Neshaminy in the County of Bucks at an intersection with State Highway Route Number One Hundred and Fifty-one and running thence to Eureka and intersecting with State Highway Route Number Three Hundred and Seventy-three shall be adopted by the Department of Highways as a State highway and shall hereafter be maintained repaired improved and reconstructed at the expense of the Commonwealth in the same manner as other State Highways under the laws of the Commonwealth.

## FARMERS BANK PLANS TO BROADEN INSTITUTION'S SCOPE

Directors Take Steps to Widen  
Field of Activity In  
Community

## NEW LEGISLATION HELPS

Plan to Act in Various New  
Capacities for Benefit of  
Clients

The management of the Farmers National Bank of Bucks County is contemplating broadening its banking powers and widening the field of endeavor in order that the Bank may assist more materially in the development of the business interests and growth of the community.

It is probable that the steps necessary to completion of such a proposed plan will be announced shortly. It was stated today following a meeting of the Board of Directors.

The development of the lower section of Bucks County, dating from 1814 to the present year, bears testimony to the increase in resources and wealth as evidenced by the increased values of the real and personal property possessed by its people, and elucidates with great clearness the passing from what was primarily a population devoted almost exclusively to agricultural pursuits to one engaged mainly in various branches of the industrial arts.

To a considerable extent this condition has been paralleled by the local banking interests which have been during that time essentially necessary as mediums through which such development became an actuality.

The history of Bucks County without reference to its financial ally, the Farmers National Bank of Bucks County, the first bank to do business within its confines, would be incomplete. The increase in the population and wealth of the one is reflected in the financial strength and growth of the institution which has been such a factor in effectuating the development that has taken place.

In 1905 it was deemed advisable by the management of the bank to add materially to the space utilized for banking purposes, in the building which it occupied, and alterations to the interior of the building were then made that were in accordance with the increased demands of those times.

In this present year 1927 it is the intention of the management to again remodel the interior of the banking rooms in order that the patrons may secure greater convenience and benefit by the utilization of improved and present day methods.

Through the enactment of the federal law creating federal reserve banks there has been extended to national banks the privilege of assuming many of the powers heretofore enjoyed mainly by trust companies and state banking institutions, this supplemented by the passage of the recently enacted McFadden bill, has opened a field wherein a national bank may so enlarge its endeavors as to be more intimately connected with the many phases incident to modern banking that are in these days requisite for the conduct of matters of financial import. The power to act as executor, administrator, trustee, registrar of stocks and bonds, guardian of estates, assignee, receiver, committee of estates of lunatics or other fiduciary capacities, as well as the investment in evidences of indebtedness secured by real estate represented by mortgages or judgments, that will extend the opportunity to assist in the growth and development of the interests of a community is now made possible. With the thought of so extending its usefulness it is the intent of the management of the Farmers National Bank to take the necessary steps requisite to secure such additional powers, and continue the record which it has achieved through more than a century of service to the community.

Competent Critics Pronounce  
Comedy To Be Good One

Tomorrow night and St. Patrick's night the two-act musical comedy, "The Captivating Kitty Kelly," will be presented by St. Mark's Dramatic Club, in the School Hall, at 8.15.

Competent critics who viewed the dress rehearsal Sunday afternoon pronounced it to be one of the finest ever attempted by the local thespians.

The musical numbers are under the supervision of Miss Anna Archer, who the fast-stepping chorus is in charge of Miss Mary Conley.

The elaborate stage decorations are the result of the artistic skill of Messrs. Ray Gallagher and William Frake, Sr. Tomesani's Electric Service has supplied the beautiful lighting effects.

There will be dancing after the performance on each evening. Music will be furnished by Kallenbach's Orchestra.

In addition to the main feature, St. Mark's school children will present a vocal ensemble "The Wild Irish Rose," and Miss Doris Connor, the petite danseuse, will present interpretative dances.

## Gurdon Steele Loses Close Boxing Match At College

Gurdon Steele, son of Dr. John G. Steele, of Mill street, lost a close decision in a boxing match last week against Yale, when Coach George Decker's freshman squad of boxers from the University of Pennsylvania travelled to New Haven to compete against the New Englanders.

Young Steele, who is captain of the team has had a very successful boxing career since joining Penn. winning every bout but one. He was captain of boxing at St. John's Manlius School, where he attained high honors before graduating last June. He fired second gun on the rifle team and was managing editor of the Manlius School publications, which included a daily, a bi-weekly, a quarterly and an annual.

Steele was elected president of the Eastern Interscholastic Press Association last year, an honor conferred through editing the above publications which were awarded the grand sweepstakes cup for all round merit at Cornell last March.

Recently Gurdon was one of seven fellow freshmen appointed on the Penman Bowl Committee. This committee selects freshman teams to compete against sophomores in seven different sports, such as basketball, swimming, boxing, wrestling, fencing, etc.

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## CASEYS DEFEAT "HIBS" IN COURT TILT HERE

Furious Battle Waged in The  
Lutheran Hall in Basketball  
Contest

## FINAL SCORE 18 TO 17

The Knights of Columbus defeated the Hibernians by one point in a furious court tilt last night in Lutheran Hall, the final score being 18 to 17.

The "Hibs" lined up without the services of two of their regular men, Lawrence Brady and Holden taking the place of "Sid" Sweeney and Weiss. Huby and Johnny Brady with Charles Dugan were best for A. O. H., while James Sweeney and Lefty Rodgers were outstanding for the Knights.

Score:  
KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS  
Ed. G. Fl. G. Pts.

Coyle f ..... 1 1 3  
D. Rodgers f ..... 2 0 4  
Sweeney c ..... 2 0 6  
J. Dugan g ..... 0 1 1  
Melvaine g ..... 1 2 4

A. O. H.  
Ed. G. Fl. G. Pts.

Holden f ..... 0 1 1  
J. Brady f ..... 1 3 5  
C. Dugan c ..... 2 2 6  
L. Brady g ..... 0 2 2  
H. Brady g ..... 1 1 3

4 9 17

Bristol A. A. continued on their winning way when they trimmed the Fifth Ward rather easily by a 33 to 29 score in their league game last night. This victory places the A. A. and the K. of C. in a tie for first place, each having won four and lost one game in this half.

The uptown lads put up a stubborn fight throughout, but the fast foot work of Fegley, Bailey, Harper and Dugan and the guarding of Sackville and Bauer was entirely too much to overcome.

Line up:  
BRISTOL A. A.  
Ed. G. Fl. G. Pts.

J. Dugan f ..... 4 0 8  
Bailey f ..... 4 0 8  
Harper f ..... 1 0 2  
Fegley c ..... 5 0 10  
Bauer g ..... 2 1 5  
Sackville g ..... 0 0 0

16 1 33

FIFTH WARD  
Ed. G. Fl. G. Pts.

Nickerson f ..... 1 1 3  
Patterson f ..... 0 3 3  
Parella f ..... 0 0 0  
Rich c ..... 2 2 6  
L. Melvaine g ..... 3 0 6  
Palletta g ..... 1 0 2  
Carango g ..... 0 0 0

7 6 20

Referee: D. Dugan.  
Timer: Gallagher.  
Scorer: Potts.

BRISTOL BASKETBALL LEAGUE  
Standing

W. L. P.C.

Bristol A. A. .... 4 1 .909  
K. of C. .... 4 1 .909  
Celtic .... 3 1 .850  
A. O. H. .... 3 2 .650  
Huff Daland .... 2 2 .500  
Leedom's .... 1 3 .350  
Fifth Ward .... 1 4 .275  
St. Ann's .... 0 4 .000

Schedule  
Friday evening March 18th  
St. Ann's vs. Leedom's.  
Celtic vs. Huff-Daland.

VISITS HERE

Mrs. Percy Sidgreaves, formerly of 1628 Trenton avenue, Bristol, but now of Philadelphia, spent today in Bristol, renewing old friendships.

## COUNCIL PASSES MUCH LEGISLATION AT SESSION HERE

Three Ordinances and Two  
Agreements Entered  
Into

## BRIDGE AGREEMENT UP

Lehigh Canal Co. Will Pay  
\$15,000 of Cost of  
Span

The Lehigh Coal and Navigation Company is to pay \$15,000 toward the cost of construction of the bridge spanning the canal at Beaver street, according to an agreement offered in the form of an ordinance at Borough Council meeting, last night. In offering the agreement Councilman Joseph R. Grundy, on behalf of Public Works Committee, informed Council that the agreement was substantially the same as that entered into between the Canal Company and the Borough at the time of the construction of the Mill street bridge, except that in this instance the Canal Company was paying a larger proportionate share of the cost of the project.

The Borough under the agreement releases the Canal Company from all future obligations or liabilities concerning the bridge.

The ordinance was placed on first reading and the clerk ordered to have the same printed and placed upon second reading of Council at the next meeting.

Mr. Grundy also offered an agreement with the Pearson family wherein the Borough agrees to purchase from Mr. and Mrs. Roy Tracy, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel A. Pearson and Mr. and Mrs. Robert R. Pearson, sufficient land upon which to construct a cellar so that the frame house now located at southeast corner of Buckley and Beaver streets, may be moved thereon and to deed the land so purchased to Mrs. Sarah Pearson, mother of the children, whose house the property in question is; the Borough to pay all costs of removing said property and to relocate three garages now existing on the property so that the house when relocated may have a 13-foot side yard. The price of land so to be taken is to be fixed by a jury of view comprised of Arthur P. Townsend, A. Brock Shoemaker and Jesse Everett, three men being familiar with land values in the Borough.

The Borough is also to purchase the ground vacated by the removal of the house in question and also a strip on the northeast corner of Buckley and Beaver streets and the price of these parcels of land is to be fixed as in the first instance.

Mr. Grundy in enlarging upon the agreement stated that in his opinion the Pearson family was acting exceptionally fair and in such a manner that it was deserving of the thanks of the citizenship in general for thus providing a quick solution to a problem which had back in 1911 presented many complications and promised a long drawn out legal controversy.

Council approved the agreement and the proper officers were authorized to attest to the same and affix their signatures.

Mr. Grundy offered a resolution authorizing the Borough Officers to sell \$22,000 worth of borough bonds, which remain from an issue of \$80,000 authorized by the borough but never sold. This issue along with a \$35,000 issue authorized some time back will be used for the improvement of Otter, Mill and Radcliffe streets.

The resolution was unanimously adopted.

Mr. Grundy offered a resolution authorizing the transfer of \$20,121.04 from the Water Department to the General Funds of the Borough.

On motion of Mr. Grundy proper officers of Borough were authorized to borrow such sums of money as may be necessary to pay for the construction of the bridge across the Canal until such time as the work is completed, when proper bonds will be issued and the loans cancelled.

The resolution was unanimously adopted.

Mr. Grundy offered resolution extending the sympathy of members of Council to William E. Dodds and Gustav A. Rathke, both members of Council, who recently had through death suffered the loss of their wives.

Motion of John F. Smoyer that the Council proceed against Benjamin Silber and wife, who it is alleged conducted a store during the Christmas holiday season at Mill and Wood streets, in violation of Borough ordinance, was referred to Borough Solicitor for his consideration.

John Poane, Pond and Lafayette streets, requested permission to hang sign in front of his place of business at that point. Request referred to Street and Highway Committee with power to act.

Joseph Lentine requested permission to construct necessary driveways for a "drive-in" service station at Pond street and Lincoln avenue. Request referred to Street and Highway Committee with power to act.

Police Committee reported officers made 19 arrests during the month. Seven were discharged, six committed and four fined and two held for court.

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### THE READING HABIT

Bristol's Free Library is entering upon its 12th year and as it is supported entirely by voluntary contributions the finance committee is making its annual appeal for contributions so that the library may not only be continued, but that it may grow and improve.

Data taken from the president's report gives some idea of the growth of this valuable institution and shows how greatly it is needed and appreciated.

A total of 6,677 readership cards were issued and 590 of these were issued in 1926. It is estimated that 3,000 of these represented active readers. There is a total of 9,900 books catalogued and 1,300 new books were added during the last calendar year. There were 36,660 books taken out during 1926.

That "a young man should read five hours a day and so acquire a great deal of knowledge" is a recommendation with which those acquainted with Boswell's "Life of Johnson" are familiar, but which, however it may have been followed in the time of the great literary dictator himself, would seem to be sadly neglected in this modern era. It is to be feared that the prevalence of the spirit of "getting by" with the minimum amount of effort has given but too much reason for the complaint of a college professor that the college man of today has practically no background of general reading.

With the incessant pressure of class periods and the constant temptation to allow all his leisure time to be engrossed with various amusements, the college man has, perhaps, some excuse for his neglect of literature, but those in authority over him, who fail to take the stand taken by a discriminating advertiser in pointing out that books are the foundation of culture, the source of lasting pleasure and the open sesame of modern success, are not only guilty of a grave dereliction of duty, so far as the principles of sound pedagogy are concerned, but are also, negatively, it is true, but in effect, robbing young manhood of one of its greatest joys and preparing it, in many cases, for a lonely, friendless and grumpy old age.

It has been alleged, and doubtless with some truth, that the members of modern college teaching staffs are not themselves well-read men, and are therefore not qualified by experience to impress on the students the necessity of cultivating the reading habit. If this true, 'tis pity.

Only thing you can tell by some watches is what time it isn't.

The secret of leadership is merely the knack of finding followers.

Joy riders need not be in such a hurry. Hell keeps open all night.

Forgiving spirit: The peculiar possession of those who have feathered their nests.

The reason men no longer strike matches on their pants is because modern pants won't stand it.

Many a woman standing in front of a shop window has merely stopped to reflect.

Be careful about how you look into a mirror. Looking too much is liable to discourage you.

Don't get mad at a cross friend. His children may be sick or his wife may be reducing.

## News of Nearby Towns

### Hulmeville

The DeMoss Concert Company which will appear in the Methodist Church, here, on the evening of Wednesday, March 23rd, numbers five members: George G. DeMoss, director; Aurelia DeMoss, his wife; their sons, Homer and Elbert; and Florence Smith, pianist. All members of the company are delightful musicians, and will furnish a pleasing program of music on such instruments as the cello, violin, flute, piano, banjos, guitars and hand bells. Tickets are now on sale.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Clark and Miss Fannie Black, of Trenton, N. J., week-ended with Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Black.

Plans are being discussed for the erection of a small addition to the Hulmeville public school building, the same to be used for rest room and toilets.

Miss Lou P. Smith, of Philadelphia, was an overnight guest Saturday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus E. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Kirkaslager, Miss Katherine Haefner, of Roxborough, and Miss Ella L. Smith, were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Haefner.

The Misses Mildred Prickett, Helen Bilzer, Dorothy Dayhoff, Myrtle Egly, Adeline E. Reetz, Grace H. Hlick and Nellie E. Main, and Mr. Albert Kauffman attended the North District Rally of the Epworth League held in the Methodist Church, Tacony, on Saturday.

A business session of the Methodist Official Board was held last night at the residence of Walter Woolman, Bellevue avenue.

Work was started on the manufacture of silk hosiery at the Hulmeville Hosiery Company mill, here, yesterday. Many novel patterns will be manufactured at this local plant, and it is stated by August Pross, proprietor, that a larger number will be employed as the work progresses.

Mr. and Mrs. Eli Peck entertained as guests on Sunday, their daughter, Miss Marion B. Peck, and friends from West Chester State Normal School; and friends from Columbus, N. J.

### Langhorne

Miss Anna Vaughn, a student at West Chester S. N. S., was visiting her parents over the week-end.

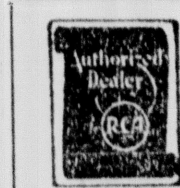
Miss Frances Hellyer entertained several friends on Friday evening last in honor of the Misses Hilda and Lillian Vanartsdalen, who will leave Langhorne to take up their abode in Yardley.

Mrs. Nettie Martindale, of Logan,

### That Baby You've Longed For

Mrs. Burton Advises Women On Motherhood and Companionship

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has been visiting her sister, Mrs. James Paul.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Gatchell spent several days this week at Elkins Park. Howard Foerst, who conducts a green grocery, cut his arm severely with a pen knife while trimming celery one day last week, which necessitated the services of a physician.

The annual meeting of the Community Welfare Association was held in the Sunday School rooms of the M. E. Church on Tuesday, March 8th. Six cases of various kinds of needs were reported, and cared for and the following officers were elected to serve during the ensuing year: President, Mrs. Sara E. Allen; vice-president, Miss Agnes P. Sellers; treasurer, Miss Anna N. Lukens; secretary, Mrs. Hannah Pickering; executive secretary, Rev. Henry Cunningham. The regular meeting of the Ex. Com. has been changed from the second Tuesday of the month to the third.

Several Langhorne women attended the meeting of the Makersfield Mothers' Club at Woodside on Monday last. The program was in charge of the Langhorne Sorosis.

A St. Patrick's Day program under the auspices of the drama committee of the Langhorne Sorosis, will be presented on March 17th. Play to be under the direction of Miss Katherine L. Scheff. Solos by Mr. Clarence Kohlman, organist of Memorial Baptist Church, Philadelphia.

Caroline S. Quinby and daughter, Ruth, of Longport, N. J., were recent guests of Mrs. Samuel L. Longshore. Evan T. Worthington spoke at Friends' meeting on last First day.

### Edgely

Miss Beryl Wilson, of Haines Road, spent Sunday with relatives in Florence, N. J.

Miss Virginia Dager, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Albert Dager, of Radcliffe street, has been ill the past week with an attack of tonsillitis.

Mr. Arthur Wolvin and daughter, Anna, of Haines Road, visited relatives in Burlington, N. J., on Sunday. Mr. Jesse Lewis, of Croydon, spent

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men, of Woodside avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Breme and son, Paul, of Woodside avenue, spent Tuesday in Trenton, N. J.

Mrs. Herman Michel and Mrs. Byron Knight, of Radcliffe street, were

Philadelphia visitors on Tuesday.

Miss Marie Schleicher, of Griebel-

avenue, week-ended with her parents, in Scotland, Pa.

Margaret Elizabeth Carley, the

eight months old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Carley, of Elizabeth, N. J.,

died suddenly on March 8th. Mrs.

Carley was formerly Miss Margaret

Winder, of Edgely.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Miller, of Bur-

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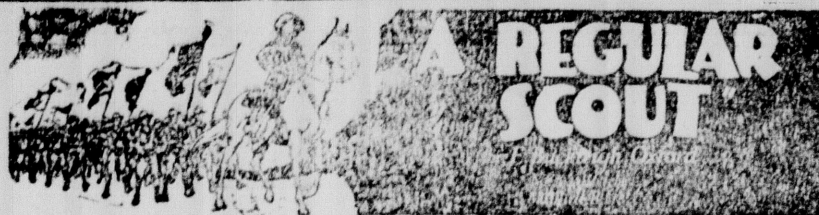
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adelphia, were Sunday guests of

Mr. and Mrs. John Carley, of Elizabeth, N. J., were week-end guests

of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph McGrail, of Edgely avenue.



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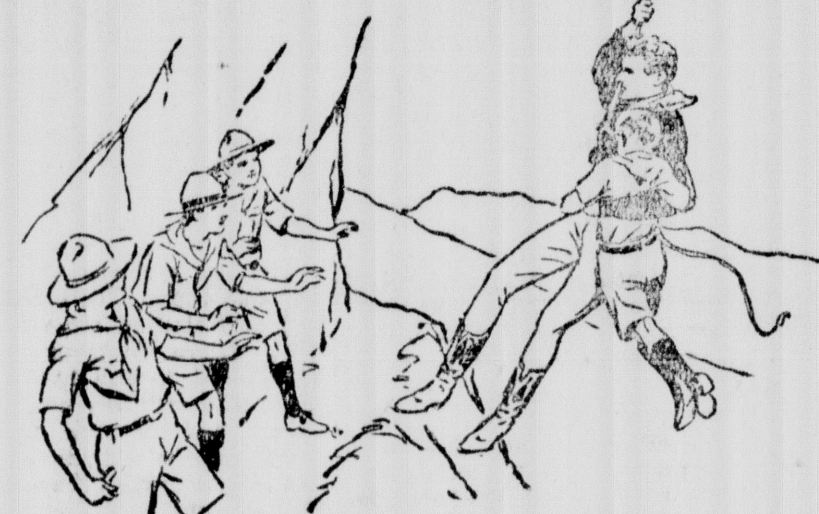
### CHAPTER XI—Continued

The lariat was tied tightly to Silver's body. Silver, obedient to Fred's whispered plea, had stiffened his forelegs powerfully, and now stood like a statue of marble. A bullet would not have moved him. His master's word was law—obeyed through love and understanding.

Fred grasped the rope reaching from Silver's body, over the edge of the chasm, and holding up the boy's inert form, and hand over hand descended. Quickly he reached the body of Buddy, grasped powerfully, and then shouted to Silver: "Now, Silver, walk a straight line!" The rope began to move nearer the edge of a lower ledge, on which a group of Boy Scouts were crouched, watching the scene with grim eyes, quiet.

"STOP!" shouted Fred, and the rope again grew taut and firm as an iron band. Silver had once more obeyed orders.

Swinging up and down, gathering momentum, risking the tearing of the rope at any instant, Fred finally gathered up enough pent-up force to shoot him and his limp burden toward the lip of the ledge on which the Scouts were waiting. Then—with a mighty ef-



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### CHAPTER XII

#### THE STRANGER AGAIN

The tall, sombered, and pleasant-looking stranger who had accosted Buddy Monroe while in the company of Bide Hanson had pulled in on the last passenger-train the night before. When he got off the train he looked around with interest, and, copying the few twinkling electric lights along Sierra's main thoroughfares, he walked across the sandy tract surrounding the small way-station and entered the main street. He carried no suitcase; in ordinary clothes and short boots, he was traveling "light."

This quiet, dark-mustached man reflected outside the building whose sign read, "Soft Drink Emporium, Sam Henderson, Prop." Then, with a hard gleam of the eyes, he shrugged his shoulders and walked past the old-time bar-room swinging doors.

There was no one in the place. The counter where formerly hard drinks had been lavishly dispensed was shining and empty, the bar-rail at its foot spotless.

The stranger entered with a great clatter of boots, and waited at the bar. A moment after little old Sam Henderson himself bustled through a back door, which he closed carefully behind him, and came forward smiling blandly. Grasping a rag he bowed his head, and the counter, which needed no wiping, saying at the same time, "Howdy. Nice night, ain't it? Anythin' I kin do fer yuh?" applying the rag briskly.

The newcomer smiled amusedly and said, "Now—could a man—uh—get a drop of whiskey hereabouts?"

Old Sam looked up calmly. "Guess yer barkin' up th' wrong tree, Mister," he said. "Ain't been a drop of hard likker in my place since Hector wuz a pup. Maybe a sa'prilla—"

Laughing outright, the newcomer signed his assent, and while Sam busily drew forth a bottle of soda from a almost empty ice-box, he leaned over the counter and said casually, "Do you know a family round here by the name o' Monroe?"

Sam pried off the metal head of the bottle with a flourish, slapped the bottle down on the counter, produced a glass, and answered

pleasantly, "Why yes." And stood calmly waiting for the stranger to produce some elixer.

The stranger laughed and poured out a generous drink of the sparkling beverage. "Been here long?"

"Oh, I been here fer forty years, on an' off," answered Sam blandly.

"I didn't mean you—I meant those Monroes."

"Oh!" Sam smiled beneath his gray, bushy mustache. "Sure! Old-timers here—funny thing, too—their son jest come back—been missin' twenty years. Got it now?"

The newcomer smiled and stuck out his hand. "Shake, Henderson," he said, heartily. "You're a man after my own heart. Yep, that's just what I wanted to know." He threw a half-dollar on the counter and made as if to go. Then, as if half-remembering, he turned back and said quickly:

"Oh, yes. Most forgot to ask. People by the name of Burlingame live in Sierra, too? Father and son?"

Sam Henderson's brow darkened, and he spat. "Yep. Ef yer lookin' fer crooks, I guess yuh and them's the fellows tuh watch. Sleekest pair o' p'spective fall-birds I ever see. Own th' local bank."

"Thanks, old-timer." Again the stranger paused. "One thing more. These—ah—Burlingames—they have a friend or associate callin' himself Powell—Ed Powell?"

Sam threw back his gray head and roared with laughter. "Man, oh, man!" he shouted. "There's point tuh be some pretty dols in Sierra soon!"

Grinning, the dark-mustached stranger bade Sam Henderson good-night and walked out of the Soft Drink Emporium. Outside, he looked speculatively up the street, where a bank stood, then smiling arrogantly to himself walked toward Sierra's only hostelry.



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### CHAPTER XIII

#### THE SUMMONS

Fred Blake walked slowly out of the Monroe ranch-house, clucked to Silver, who was waiting patiently outside, and mounted. Around the corner of the bunk-house appeared two figures. They were Lige Connor and Chuck Wilson, smiling broadly.

"Well, well!" cried Lige. "Thought yuh'd been kidnapped for a while, we did. How's Buddy?"

Fred nodded. "Fine, Lige," he said quietly.

Chuck Wilson took a great liberty. He had noticed the deepened lines of worry on Fred's lean, bronzed face. He approached shamefacedly, pulling him. His broad, ham-like hand on the saddle-horn, he peered up into Fred's face and said in a low voice:

"We—Lige an' I—that is—'he said desperately—"well, it's this way, Fred, ole man. We sorta figured, Lige an' I, that yuh had some big worry on yer mind, or that yuh wuz in trouble of some sort, and we—wanted tuh know ef we couldn't help yuh in some way. 'Course we know 'tain't any o' our danged business," he continued hastily, "but we jest sorta thought we'd like tuh help."

Fred's face was a study. For a moment he said nothing; then leaning down he slapped Chuck resoundingly on the shoulder. His voice was curiously choked as he spoke. "Trouble is—yuh're too darned good tuh me, you fellows. Thanks, boys. I'll mess through it myself." And crying savagely to Silver, he shot off at a tremendous pace toward the nearby hills. . . .

He found a second angled rock among the great jagged rocks, dropped wearily off Silver's back and sat down. His face was a welter of misery. They were all so wonderful to him. Chuck, Lige, Mrs. Monroe—June. . . .

It had been a terrible day. After the first excitement of his daring rescue of Buddy had worn away, and he had carried the limp, hurt form of the boy from Silver's back to the steps of the Monroe house, where the two women stood waiting for him, terror and anxiety on their faces, Fred had felt that his cup of misery was full to overflowing. There had been no hint of resentment, of anger, of injustice felt and bitterly opposed, in the attitude of the two women. They had greeted him with joy, taken the bruised Buddy from his arms, carried him tenderly to his room. And then, with these two women, Western bred, mountain trained, bustling about, preparing bandages, warm water, liniments for the injured boy, Fred had been left in the room with the slowly awakening child whom he had saved. Buddy opened his eyes, saw Fred, and smiled.

"Fred," he called weakly and Fred had dropped on the bed beside the boy, black despair in his heart, produced a glass, and answered

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Meeting of Robert Bracken Post No. 382, American Legion.

—Mrs. William E. DeGroot, of 341 Jefferson avenue, is an overnight guest tonight at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John R. Davis, of Philadelphia.

—Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence McCoach, of 921 Beaver street, spent Saturday and Sunday in Chester, Pa., visiting relatives.

—Mr. and Mrs. Owen Evans and daughter, Mrs. Eugene Petty, of 241 Radcliffe street, were Sunday guests of Miss Elizabeth Weigand, of Palmyra, N. J.

—Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Ferguson, Jr., of 318 Jackson street, will attend a party on Saturday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Alderman, of 3216 Wallace street, West Philadelphia.

—Mrs. Lewis J. Bevan, of Cedar and Dorrance streets, is paying a visit to friends in Germantown, Pa., and relatives in Merchantville, N. J.

—Mr. James La Feaver, of Berkeley, California, is visiting his mother, Mrs. John Sleifer, of Cedar street, having been called here by her serious illness.

—Mr. and Mrs. Charles Williamson, of 311 Radcliffe street, entertained on Sunday, Mr. Frank Baker and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hiltner, of Brookline, and Mr. and Mrs. John Arnold, of Philadelphia.

—Mr. and Mrs. George Wahl and family, of Jefferson avenue, and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cox, of Lafayette street, motored to Southampton, Pa., on Sunday and were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Von Rynn.

—Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Black and son, John, of 204 Cedar street, and Miss Sara Milnor, of Bath Road, motored to Moorestown, N. J., on Sunday and visited Mrs. Elizabeth Martz.

—Dr. George Gade, of Panama, is visiting his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Gade, of Roosevelt street, having been called here by the serious illness of his father, Mr. Richard Gade.

—Mrs. Herbert K. Taylor, of Elkus Park, Pa., entertained at a surprise birthday dinner on Sunday at the Old York Road Country Club in honor of the birthday anniversary of

her husband, who is president of the club. The guests, who were forty in number, were relatives of Mr. Taylor. Mr. and Mrs. James La Rue and Mr. and Mrs. Walter F. Leedom, of Radcliffe street, were the Bristol relatives who attended.

—Mr. and Mrs. S. Phillips Landreth, of Pine Grove, had as Sunday dinner guests, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Hutchinson and son, J. B. Hutchinson, Jr., of Philadelphia.

—Mrs. L. T. Ferguson, Jr., of 318 Jackson street, will be a Wednesday guest of her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Yost, of Elkins Park, Pa.

—Mr. and Mrs. Edward Lukmire and son, Warner, of Trenton, N. J., spent Saturday and Sunday at the home of Mrs. Lukmire's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Warner, of 320 Lafayette street.

—Miss Elizabeth Wurts, of East Orange, N. J., was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Armand V. Morris, of Philadelphia.

—Mrs. V. Hannaberry and grand-son, James Rue, of 423 Radcliffe street; Mrs. E. L. Reading and son, Edward, of 425 Radcliffe street, and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Steen, of Philadelphia, were Sunday guests of Mrs. Hannaberry's son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Jones, of Delanco, N. J.

—Mrs. Flora Bliger, of 213 Market street, had as Sunday guests, Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Douglass and grand-daughter, Shirley Douglass, of Ambler, Pa.; Mr. and Mrs. Leonard South and daughter, Marion, of Trenton, N. J.; and Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Heiser and daughter, Ruth, of Frankford, Pa.

—Mrs. Mary Weeks, of Wilkes-Barre, Pa., is making an extended stay with her nephew and niece, Dr. and Mrs. J. Fred Wagner, of Pine Grove.

—Miss Emma Petina and her nephew and niece, Emma and Peter Spezzano, of Jefferson avenue, are paying a three weeks' visit to Miss Petina's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Fulton Neill, of Roselle Park, N. J.

—Mrs. Ralph Magill, of Mill street, will be hostess this evening to the members of the Katty Klub. Next week the club will meet at the home of the Misses Hendricks, of 611 Cedar street.

—Mrs. L. T. Ferguson, Jr., of 318 Jackson street, was a visitor last week in Beach Haven, N. J.

—Mr. and Mrs. Henry Black and daughter, Eleanor, of Mulberry street, spent Sunday in Eddington, Pa., visit-

ing their relatives, Mr. and Mrs. George Keaton.

—Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Hallowell, of 245 McKinley street, had as a weekend guest, Mrs. Hallowell's sister, Miss Lillian Titus, of Philadelphia.

—Mrs. Samuel T. Hearn, of 845 Garden street, returned to her home on Sunday from a several days' visit to her mother, Mrs. John Barr.

—Fred Vandegrift, of Pine street, has entered the employment of the Philadelphia Suburban Company.

—Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Weagley, of Mulberry street, entertained over the weekend, Miss Nellie Booz, formerly of Bristol, now of New York City.

—Mr. Edward Kohler, of Garden street, has accepted a position at the Riverside Theatre as operator.

—Mr. and Mrs. Foster Minster and baby, of Philadelphia, spent Saturday and Sunday at the home of Mr. Minster's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pemberton Minster, of Radcliffe street.

—Miss Frances Landreth, of 628 Radcliffe street, left on Monday for a several days' visit to her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence W. Allbone, of Sunbury, Pa. Miss Landreth will return to her home the latter part of the week.

—Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Johnson, of 233 McKinley street, were Sunday guests of Mrs. Joseph Tarpy and family, formerly of Bristol, now of Olney, Pa.

—Mrs. H. O. Smith, of Beach Arlington, N. J., was an overnight guest on Monday of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis T. Ferguson, Jr., of 318 Jackson street.

—Miss Mary McGinley, of Otter street, spent Saturday and Sunday in Germantown, Pa., visiting her cousin, Miss Elizabeth Waters.

—Dr. and Mrs. G. Austin Bisbee and son, Albert, of 301 Mill street, motored to Philadelphia on Sunday and were the guests of friends.

—Mr. Charles Abbott, of Hempstead, Long Island, joined his wife

at the home of his parents Dr. and Mrs. Joseph de B. Abbott, of Radcliffe street and Jefferson avenue, over the weekend.

—On Wednesday, Mrs. Frank Baldwin, of Oak Lane, will entertain at her home at luncheon and cards. Among her guests will be: Mrs. Clifford L. Anderson, Mrs. J. Fred Wagner, Mrs. Walter F. Leedom, Mrs. Thomas Scott, Mrs. James La Rue, Mrs. William G. Buckman, Mrs. Frederick Decker, Mrs. Armand Morris, and Mrs. Archibald Morris, all of Radcliffe street.

—Miss Josephine Negus, of 425 Radcliffe street, is paying an extended visit to relatives in New York.

—Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Walsh and family have moved from 1614 Trenton avenue, to Philadelphia.

—Mr. and Mrs. George Maberg, of

543 Garden street, had as guests last week, Miss Hazel Weber and Mr. Raymond Houck, of Trenton, N. J.

## Edgely

Mary Dick, of Edgely avenue, Otto Kunkley, of New York, and Miss Jessie Gilbert, of Bristol, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Hilgendorf, of Edgely avenue.

Mrs. George Garretson, of Edgely avenue, attended the spring service and meeting for the women of the Convocation of Germantown, held at St. Luke's Church, Germantown, on Tuesday of this week.

The weekly Lenten services will be held on Thursday evening at 8 o'clock. Rev. J. L. Prevost is conducting these services.

A meeting of the dramatic club will be held on Friday evening at 7.30 at the home of Mrs. Lester Levergood, of Radcliffe street.

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Of William J. Kellett, situated in Falls Township, one mile from Fallsington, entrance from the Lincoln Highway and also from the Hulmeville Road, Wednesday, March 23rd, 1927, at 12.30 sharp.

Stock: Bay horse, 12 years old, good worker and driver; registered Holstein bull, 2 1/2 years old, a very fine animal; 30 head of Holstein cows and 2 Guernseys. Several of these will be fresh by day of sale, and several have been fresh since New Year's, balance in all stages of profit. In this lot there are several cows that have given 30 quarts of milk a day, and a number with records of 20 quarts or over. They are in fine condition, and I believe they are the best dairy of Holstein cows I have ever sold in my life. There are several very close springers, and Mr. Kellett has been shipping from 350 to 450 quarts of milk every day this winter. If you want a real cow, come to this sale. A good many have been bred to freshen in the late summer and early fall. Eight nice white shoats, Jersey Red sow, due in May; 75 R. I. R. and P. R. chickens, several nice roosters for overkeepers.

Crops: 150 bushels nice yellow corn, about 10 tons of good alfalfa and timothy hay, 4 tons baled straw, 15 tons ensilage, and a few bushels old seed corn.

Wagons, Implements, Etc.: Ford coupe, 1924, in good order; 10 h. p. Economy gas engine, on trucks, used very little; 2 h. p. Economy gas engine in good order; power washing machine, 2 low-down wagons, two-seated carriage, good rubber-tire buggy, farm sled, sleigh, body for farm wagon, jump-seat carriage, steel-tire buggy, about new; one-horse market wagon, two-horse market wagon, Deering binder, I. H. C. corn planter, 2 disc harrows, three-horse J. D. manure spreader, four-wheel trailer, new Dain side delivery rake, new J. D. hay loader, 60-tooth harrow, I. H. C. corn plow, Syracuse walking plow, Oliver gang plow, used very little; potato cutter, 22-gallon farmer's boiler, lot of old iron, harpoon, forks and pulleys, fodder cutter, mowing machine, good Doylestown thresher and cleaner, lot of good tools.

Household Goods: Good buffet, table, crib, bed, some old bedsteads, bureaus and wash-stands, old mahogany lounge, and a lot of other goods not mentioned, will be sold for CASH ON DAY OF SALE, as Mr. Kellett quits the place and must sell everything. COME EARLY.

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To the kind friends who assisted by providing automobiles at the time of our recent sorrow, and to those who sent floral tokens, we wish to extend our appreciation.

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### FOR SALE

SIX-ROOM SINGLE DWELLING at Bath Addition. Consideration, \$4,000; \$500 cash, and the balance on easy payments. This dwelling is in perfect condition. Must be sold to straighten the accounts. Eastburn, Blanche & Hardy, 118 Mill street, Phone 162. 3-5-11

BUNGALOW at 260 Roosevelt street. Has six rooms, bath, and hot water heat. Lot 43x112. A bargain at \$2,100. Eastburn, Blanche & Hardy, 118 Mill street, Bristol. Phone 162. 3-5-11

SINGLE DWELLING at 1226 Pond street, with six rooms and bath, open fireplace and open stairway. In good condition. Lot is 40x129. Price, \$6,300. Eastburn, Blanche & Hardy, 118 Mill street, Bristol. Phone 162. 3-5-11

SEMI-DETACHED DWELLING, situated 328 Hayes street. Has eight rooms, bath, steam heat, electricity. \$3,900 for quick sale. This dwelling is in perfect condition, and should be seen to be appreciated. Eastburn, Blanche & Hardy, 118 Mill street, Phone 162. 3-5-11

CORD WOOD and firewood. Deliveries made. Joseph P. Canby & Son, phone Hulmeville 3-R-3. 3-11-11

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### LOST

BROWN LEATHER HAND-BAG. Return to Ward's Bakery. 2-12-11

POCKETBOOK, containing railroad ticket and driver's license. Reward. Return to John Colgan, 272 Roosevelt street. 3-14-11

### HELP WANTED—MALE

MAN with light car, capable of earning \$2,000 first year. See C. A. Johnson, Tullytown, Tuesday or Thursday evenings, or call 331-R-5 for appointment. 3-15-11

### HELP WANTED—FEMALE

WOMAN for general housework. Elderly woman preferred. Call or see Mrs. G. H. Bergmann, 31 Woodside avenue, Edgely, Bristol, Pa. 3-10-11

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### DIED

SAMMARONE—At Bristol, Pa., March 14, 1927, Joseph, husband of Aurelia Sammarone, aged 34 years. Relatives and friends, and members of the Society of Victor Emmanuel, 3rd, Sons of Italy, of Burlington, N. J., are invited to attend the funeral from his late residence, 434 Jefferson avenue, Thursday, March 16th, at 9 a. m. Solemn High Mass at St. Ann's Church, at 10 o'clock. Interment in St. Mark's Cemetery. Friends may view remains Wednesday evening. 3-14-11

DAVIDSON—At Los Angeles, California, March 11, 1927, Grace E., wife of David L. Davidson, and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chauncey E. Stoneback, of Bristol. Relatives and friends, members of Robert W. Bracken Post, No. 382, American Legion; and American Legion Auxiliary of the Bracken Post, are invited to attend the funeral from the residence of her parents, 207 Jefferson avenue, Bristol, Pa., Friday, March 18th, at 2.30 o'clock. Interment in Bristol Cemetery. Friends may call Thursday evening. 2-14-11

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# BOSTON BRAVES MAY WAKE UP SOME DAY, YET

(This is the first of a series of articles by Davis J. Walsh on the major clubs in their training camps. Other stories will follow.)

By Davis J. Walsh  
I. N. S. Sports Editor  
ST. PETERSBURG, Fla., Mar. 15.—To a man up a tree who doesn't expect to come down until the whites of their eyes turn black, the Boston Braves apparently are always disappointing the boy friend, Mr. David J. Bancroft, and all I can say is that if they only will do it again this year Boston may wake up unconscious some morning from the shock of finding itself in the first division. The Braves tossed off a tenth-inning decision to the Cleveland Indians last week.

This is highly encouraging. In 1926, they couldn't go wrong in the training camp and couldn't go right in the League race. The performance was a great moral victory, which is something you are careful to put out with the cat before closing up for the night.

Anyhow, full well do I remember the season of 1924, our Mr. Bancroft's first as manager of the outfit.

"Just a terrible ball club," said he, with that if-I-do-say-it-myself manner. The Braves disappointed the young man very sorely that year. They closed with a great rush to take fourth place.

Therefore, it may be a source of some comfort for Boston to know that David doesn't expect much from the Braves in 1927.

"Anyhow, I won't make the mistake I made last year," he said as his club prepared to have it out with the world's champion Cardinals at the local park.

"That mistake was in getting my pitchers and, in fact, my whole club, so far advanced in March that they couldn't break a screen door at ten paces in April. They came back again at the tag end of the race, but then it was too late to get anywhere."

The Braves, having lacked a real punch, were just a streaky ball club in other years, a prey to the whims of their pitchers. It may be that this condition will be altered by more pitching and less whimsicality this year; also by the possibility of additional punch being added by Lance Richbourg, picked up from Milwaukee, and Jack Fournier, picked up from the odd-lot mart.

Jack still can hit them and will play an additional first base, which is about the best way he does it. Dick Burrows, the Hatteras, N. C., gentleman, will occupy the position most of the time in spite of his 1926 slump. It seems that he was a sick man last year and the fact of the matter is that he really looks the part of a good ball player down here. In consequence, the general punch of the outfit should benefit accordingly.

Richbourg lives at Crestview, Fla., and he wouldn't have far to go if he was going, but he isn't. Getting two to three hits per day, he has clinched his place in right field and will range the regular outfield with Jimmy Welch and Ed Brown. The Oakland, California, specimen has improved so much that he has taken the center-field job away from Brown.

The latter can go a mile and get them but the trouble is that it takes him so long to carry the ball back. He shakes hands very nicely with his throwing arm. Anyhow, left field, it is figured, will make the throw in less binding. As for Richbourg, he always has been a hitter since that distant day he caught McGraw's eye as the third baseman of a college team in Florida.

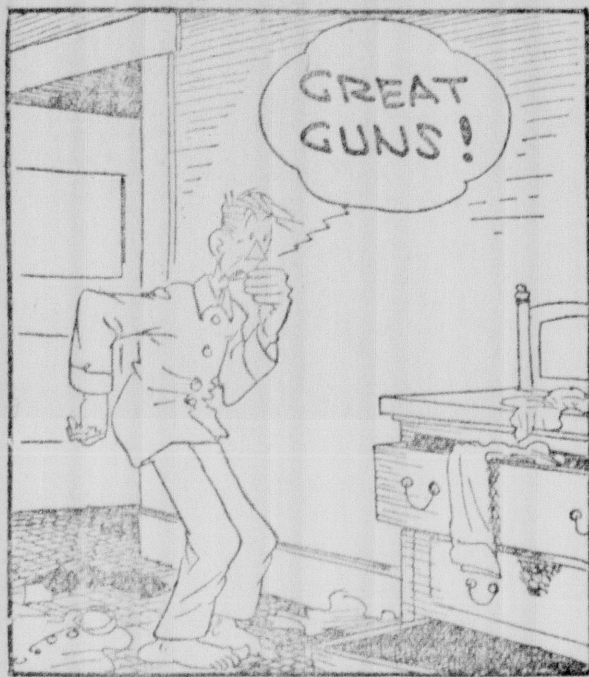
Speaking of third basemen, the Braves have two and neither is a cold choice. Eddie Moore, ex-Pirate, has been shifted over to the position he played in the Southern Association and, with his fine arm, he looks like a million. But Andy High, the other candidate, drove in more runs than any man on the club in 1926 and it is understood that they intend to count runs again this year. High is one of those men who has slowed up everywhere except in driving the ball through the infield.

Mr. Bancroft, himself and in person, will play shortstop, which automatically ends that argument, if any. Walter Gautreaux and Herb Thomas, from Providence via Jacksonville, are holding a two-man vendetta around second base. They like Thomas down here but Gautreaux is a smart, fighting fielder, gets on a lot and is likely to take the marbles in spite of his inadequate arm.

The pitchers are plentiful and most of them are good—when the spirit moves. Bancroft thinks Larry Benton is the best right-hander in the League.

Joe Genewich is another man who could find a home anywhere in either

## BILLY'S UNCLE



major league. Werthe was more than promising last year; Hearn, the left-hander, showed us a great curve ball in 1926 and doesn't look as though he can miss; Harold Goldsmith, up from Providence, pitched three great games against league leading teams last September; Foster Edwards, Dartmouth man from Minneapolis, also turned in three fine performances without a run being earned.

Then, also, there is Arthur Mills, from Pittsfield via Utica, of whom every one in camp is expecting great things; Kyle Graham, a very fair right-hander; Bob Smith, the pitcher shortstop who likes to face the Pirates; Charley Robertson—no hit Charley of Chicago—and the un-avoidable George Mogridge. George is only 37 and ought to be developing right soon.

Johnny Cooney, last year's regular, has just undergone an operation on his arm in a Chicago hospital. They said the operation was successful, which may or may not mean that John still has the arm.

The regular catchers, Gibson and Taylor, are adequate. In addition, Francis Hogan, Somerville, Mass., recruit, is giving a good old college try to the matter of trying to beat Oscar Seimer out of the warm-up job.

### The Feast Of Purim To Be Celebrated By Hebrews Here

Purim, which this year will be celebrated Friday, March 18th, beginning, however, on Thursday evening the 17th, is one of the minor holidays of the Jewish calendar. It commemorates the deliverance of the Jews of Persia from the power of Haman, the vizier of King Ahasuerus. Haman had cast lots (hence the name "Purim" which means "lots") to determine which month was to be set for the massacre of all the Jews in Persia. Mordecai and his niece Esther becoming aware of the plot succeeded in denouncing Haman and in obtaining royal permission for the Jews to attack and master their enemies on the 13th and 14th of Adar. The deliverance of the Jews

from the threat of annihilation and their victory over their enemies have ever after been celebrated as the Feast of Purim.

The Feast of Purim never attained as high a degree of spiritual influence as did some of the other festivals. The usual psalms of praise read on other holidays are omitted on Purim. The one characteristic of the Purim ritual is the reading of the Book of Esther on the evening of the thirteenth day of Adar.

As a folk celebration, Purim made up for whatever influence it may have lacked as a religious festival. It was celebrated as a carnival; masks were worn by old and young; Purim plays were given re-enacting the drama of Esther and Haman. In addition to this merry celebration of Purim there arose the custom of giving gifts to the poor. Every Jew, no matter how poor, would give something to someone more needy than himself. And so the day of popular rejoicing was touched with the elevating spirit of benevolence.

### New Industry Soon To Start At Doylestown

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100 females in addition to those who will be employed in the general offices. Seventy persons are working at the plant at the present time in addition to the force of workmen who are erecting the machinery being moved into the new plant.

An official of the company stated yesterday that a large proportion of the help in the mill live in this community. Owing to the acute house shortage in Doylestown and the lack of houses and apartments to rent, a number of the employees have rented or purchased small farms near town and commute daily to the plant by automobile or bus.

Several hundred thousands of dollars in the plant, including 100 males and

lars each year will be added to Doylestown's commercial payrolls as a result of the removal to this borough of the Frankford plant of this company.

The new plant is a revelation to many residents of the community. Officials of the company yesterday invited local residents to inspect the mill at any time. Architects and engineers of the plant are Ballinger and Company, Philadelphia. The general contractor was Keiser and Company, Pottstown. Bailey Brothers, of Doylestown, were sub-contractors and assisted in the erection of the addition.

A modern oil-heating plant has been installed in the plant that will heat both buildings. It is a plant similar to the plants installed on modern battleships.

In the new building, which is flooded with daylight throughout the working hours, modern conveniences of every kind for the help have been installed. Rest rooms for the women, are a feature. The general offices are being equipped with all the latest office equipment. It is the policy of the officials of the company to have all employees working in the very best of surroundings.

The new plant will be occupied by the general offices, winding, operating, finishing and shipping departments, while in the old building will be located all of the seventy-four looms. The new structure has a frontage of 126 feet on a private street and a

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On March 15, 1927, the FERRY-BOAT "WILLIAM E. DORON"

Will be Withdrawn from the Ferry Route for Repairs and Inspection

Probably will be RETURNED to the route on March 25, 1927

During the withdrawal of the Ferry-Boat "William E. Doron," the Motor-Boat "Louise C. Doron" will be placed on the ferry route for Passenger Service only. First trip from Burlington, 6.45 A. M., sharp.

March 8th, 1927.

depth of 152 feet, 6 inches. It is of the saw-tooth type, the saw teeth forming the entire roof area and faces north in order to obtain maximum daylight illumination without direct sunlight.

Last Christmas the presentation of a gift of more than \$40,000 of insurance to the employees of the company was announced by William A. Derk, vice-president and treasurer. More than fifty employees at the present time are benefiting by the plan.

A branch plant of the Derk Manufacturing Company was opened here in 1925 and since that time the business has grown constantly resulting in the removal of the Frankford plant to Doylestown.

### Council Passes Considerable Legislation At Session Here

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Officers paid \$14 into the Borough treasury as costs. Nine incandescent lights were reported out and three arcs. Six doors of business places were found unlocked.

Report was received, approved and filed.

Upon motion, Council took up three ordinances which will be part of the Building Code. All of the ordinances were approved and passed. They are as follows:

An ordinance regulating the storage of explosives, an ordinance providing for the inspection of premises by the building inspector to safeguard and

public and property against fire, an ordinance to regulate the equipment and operation of motion picture machines and premises wherein the same are operated.

Councilmen present were Abbott, Giron, Smoyer, Grundy, Rathke, Weik, Schmidt, Keating, Winslow, Johns, Fry.

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